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AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): Y. MURATA

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FOR COLLECTING AND  
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CONTENTS DELIVERED  
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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Asst. Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

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**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

Page 6, delete lines 1-6 and replace them with the  
following:

Fig. 47A illustrates a composition of a RAM in the network  
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Fig. 47B illustrates a composition of a RAM in a financier's  
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